

## Message Text

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIN, AR

SUBJECT: ARGENTINE REQUEST FOR INFORMATION FROM FEDERAL

RESERVE

REF: B.A. 783

PRIME RATE PUBLISHED IN FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN IS THE  
"PREDOMINANT PRIME RATE" DETERMINED FROM DATA RELATING  
TO 30 LARGE MONEY MARKET BANKS. FOR ANY GIVEN DAY THE  
PREDOMINANT PRIME RATE IS THE RATE QUOTED BY A MAJORITY  
(AT LEAST 16) OF THE 30 BANKS. FOR ANY GIVEN MONTH THE  
MONTHLY AVERAGE PREDOMINANT PRIME RATE IS THE ARITHMETIC  
MEAN OF DAILY PREDOMINANT PRIME RATE QUOTATIONS OVER THE  
CALENDAR MONTH. VANCE

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\*\*\* Current Handling Restrictions \*\*\* n/a

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